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In re Application of:
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HIGHLY MOISTURE-SENSITIVE
ELECTRONIC DEVICES

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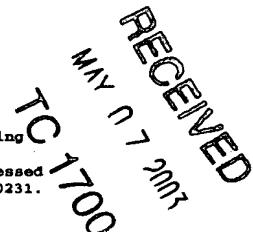
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In the Drawings:

Formal drawings are submitted under separate Letter to the Official
Draftsperson which incorporate the changes required by the Examiner. New
FIG. 8 has been added. Approval by the Examiner is respectfully requested.

In the Specification:

Please add the following new paragraph on page 9, line 31:

--FIG. 8 is a graph which shows % mass changed based on CaO

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vs. time.--

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 20, line 16
with the following rewritten paragraph: